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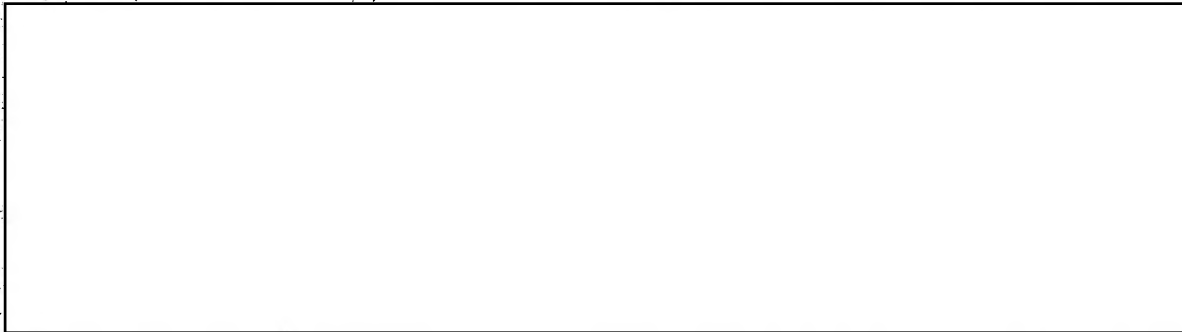
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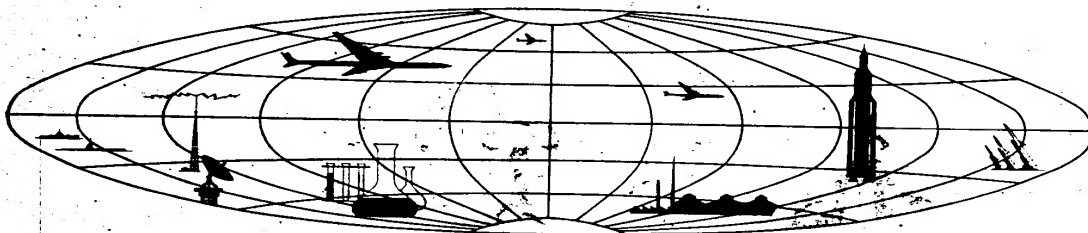
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NEWLY IDENTIFIED COMMUNICATIONS FACILITIES, CHITA AREA, USSR

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A search within a 50-nautical-mile (nm) radius of Chita (52-02N 113-29E) has revealed 5 previously unreported high-frequency (HF) communications facilities, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Brief descriptions of each of these facilities are presented below. In addition, Figure 1 locates the 5 facilities and, as requested, relates them to the major known military installations, airfields, and transportation and electronic/communications facilities in the Chita area as observed on recent photography.

HF Communications Facility (item 17, Figure 1)

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Location: 10 nm north of Chita
Coordinates: 52-11-50N 113-28-20E
Photographic Mission: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
Description: This facility includes a single control building surrounded by a large antenna farm that contains an undetermined number of rhombic, horizontal dipole, and other, unidentified types of antennas. The entire area is enclosed by a single security fence, and there are 10 support buildings within the secured area.

Probable Communications Facility (item 18, Figure 1)

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Location: 5.8 nm north of Chita
Coordinates: 52-07-50N 113-29-30E
Photographic Mission: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
Description: Enclosed by a single security fence, this facility consists of a T-shaped probable control building, 2 support buildings, and a probable antenna farm. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]
A support area consisting of 9 buildings is situated immediately to the northeast of the

security fence and probably serves as support for the nearby Chita Airfield.

Probable Communications Facility (item 19, Figure 1)

Location: 4.5 nm northwest of Chita
Coordinates: 52-05-30N 113-25-30E
Photographic Mission: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
Description: Within the single security fence at this facility are a probable control building, 17 support buildings, and a probable antenna farm. [REDACTED]

HF Communications Facility (item 20, Figure 1)

Location: 3.5 nm west of Chita
Coordinates: 52-01-50N 113-24-25E
Photographic Mission: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
Description: At this facility, a control building, 5 support buildings, and an antenna farm consisting of numerous horizontal dipoles and other unidentifiable antennas are enclosed by a single security fence. On the available photography, it was not possible to determine the exact numbers, types, or arrangements of the antennas.

HF Communications Facility (item 21, Figure 1)

Location: 18.2 nm southeast of Chita
Coordinates: 51-47-30N 113-47-10E
Photographic Mission: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
Description: This facility, enclosed by a single security fence, consists of a control building situated in the center of an antenna farm, and a single support building. It was not possible to determine the exact types or arrangements of the antennas on the available photography.

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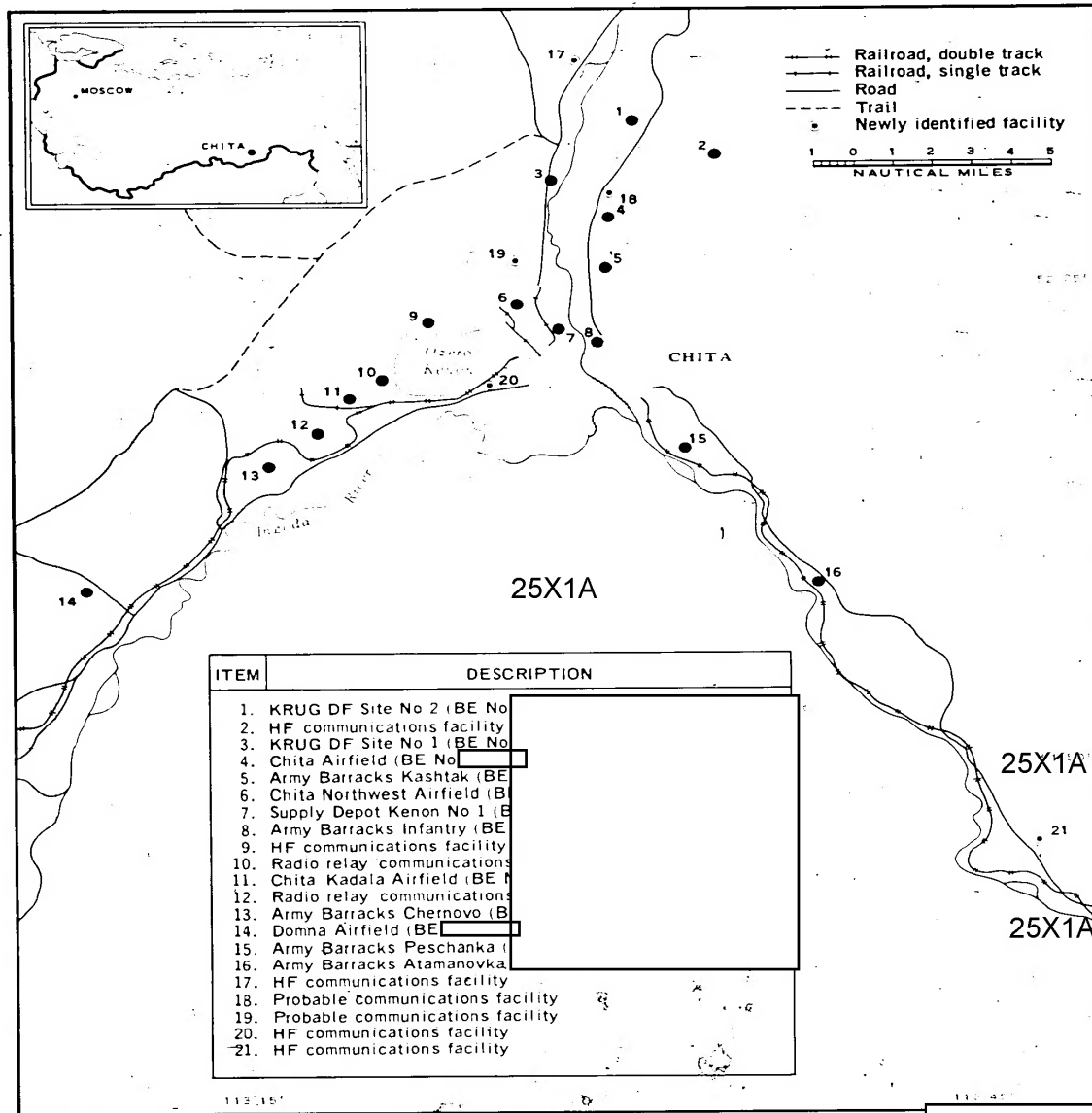


FIGURE 1. LOCATION MAP.

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